

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

In re:	)	
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M3 POWER RAZOR SYSTEM	)	CIVIL ACTION NO. 05-11177-DPW
MARKETING & SALES PRACTICE	)	(LEAD CASE)
LITIGATION	)	
_____	)	MDL DOCKET NO. 1704
	)	
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:	)	
ALL ACTIONS	)	

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER  
April 4, 2008

Having carefully reviewed the decision of the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit last Friday in *In re: New Motor Vehicles Canadian Export Litigation* (1st Cir. No. 07-2257, March 28, 2008), the disposition of which I have been awaiting before authorizing publication of notice of settlement in this matter, I have determined that further proceedings must be held in this case. Before a settlement class will be authorized here and with notice to potential class members, the proponents of the settlement will be required to brief fully and compare meaningfully the material features of the law of the several jurisdictions applicable to this case in order to demonstrate that subclasses as to separate jurisdictional damage classes are unnecessary and that the case may proceed to settlement on the

basis of a single class, without comparative unfairness to class members from one or more of the jurisdictions at issue. A hearing to establish a schedule for further submissions will be held at 2:30 p.m. on April 28, 2008 in Courtroom 1 of the John Joseph Moakley United States Courthouse.

/s/ Douglas P. Woodlock  
DOUGLAS P. WOODLOCK  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE